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TIME TABLE.

SOUTH BOUND.

No. 1, Express, 4:43 a. m.  
No. 9, Passenger, 6:13 p. m.  
No. 13, Local Freight, 2:20 p. m.

NORTH BOUND.

No. 2, Express, 12:10 a. m.  
No. 10, Passenger, 10:20 a. m.  
No. 14, Local Freight, 1 p. m.

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES  
OF U. S. MAILS.

South bound mail closes 5:45 p. m.  
South bound mail arrives 6:13 p. m.  
North bound mail closes 10 a. m.  
North bound mail arrives 10:20 a. m.  
Night mails are closed at 8:30 p. m.  
Money order department is open at 8 a. m. and closed at 5 p. m.  
Office hours from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.  
Sundays from 2:30 p. m. to 3:30 p. m.  
JOHN S. HAMER, P. M.  
SUMMERS HARDY, Deputy.

Application has been made to enter in the Post Office at Ardmore, I. T., as second class mail matter.

### ARDMORE WANTS.

A good live volunteer fire department organized by the young men of the city with a hook and ladder truck and bucket equipments for a bucket brigade as a starter.

A sewer from the Corner of the Hardy building on Main street to the culvert on Caddo street by which that unsightly mud hole, which is a terror alike to the ladies' hats and the ladies' dresses can be drained.

Some one empowered to keep an open passage on the streets through which ladies and farmers can drive without an escort or body guard.

Some regulations for the stock auctioneers which will prevent those unearthy yells on Main street and which are to a large degree responsible for street blockades.

Some plan adopted and enforced to prevent run aways from careless hitching and insecure tying of teams.

A grade for uniform sidewalks in order that an ordinary individual can walk a block or two without first taking lessons in acrobatics.

The merchants and office men to hang their signs so a man of average height can venture on a stroll without danger of having his brains knocked out.

Some established rules as to how much of the sidewalk are to be left open to the pedestrian and how much sacrificed to the lemonade and peanut man.

Some remedy for the growing nuisance of accumulating waste paper, barrel staves, loose cotton and other debris which render our main thoroughfare in appearance so much like some dumping ground or alley into which the refuse of a large city is thrown.

Some measure by which strolling merchants and peddlers can be prevented from coming in competition with legitimate business men who are helping build the city. A city tax equal to a good rental would equalize the matter and offer more protection to home merchant.

Some protection at the various railroad crossings in the city for the numerous farmers who have to cross the railroad track. Look out stations and automatic gates placed in position now will prevent some awful calamity in the future.

Some attention given to the security of flues and stove pipes before from inattention or procrastination the city suffers a serious loss by fire.

Some discussion of the Artesian well proposition which more than any other one thing will be a benefit to the city.

Those of Ardmore's citizens who now commence the execution of progressive ideas will, later on, be the foremost and leading men in all matters of a public bearing.

ARDMORE is fast assuming metropolitan proportions. To prepare the city for future greatness, now is the time to lay out and execute, even on a small scale, plans of substantial advancement.

A MAN blind in the matter of fostering and building up the town in which he lives lacks push and enterprise, but when his attention is called to the fact after much good is accomplished, he becomes a rusher.

If our citizens will unite themselves and become thoroughly organized at this time, in a few years they can look back with pride and honor upon their work. There are opportunities galore here for future greatness and prosperity.

The Daily Ardmoreite is an established and permanent institution of Ardmore. Its promoters have the interests and welfare of the city at heart, intent on enhancing the towns importance as a commercial center and otherwise assisting in the work of progressiveness. As Ardmore's star rises, so will the glimmer of prosperity be all our lot. That is what we are here for.

It seems the ARDMOREITE is threatened with a temperance war of words. We give it out cold and hot both, like water and good whisky, which always go together, that we are not running a temperance paper. It is hard enough for us to get a drink in Ardmore as it is. We do not approve of Mr. Jackson's course. We do not approve of the wording of the article appearing today against Mr. Jackson. Mr. Jackson, of course, under the circumstances, will have the courtesies of the press extended him and can speak for himself.

### TO THE CITIZENS OF ARDMORE.

Subscribers still pore into the Ardmoreite. Any one who doubts will please call at this office between the hours of 3 and 5 o'clock in the afternoon and see us at work and the amount of papers that are circulated. The paper now goes to every state in the Union. You are invited to examine our books and mailing lists and see for yourself. We have now over twice the circulation of any daily paper ever published in this city. We carry less than one-half the amount of Ardmore advertisements ever carried by any paper published here. Our advertising rates are the cheapest of any daily publication ever published in this city. Parties who doubt are respectfully invited to call and convince themselves of the facts. Gentlemen, is there anything wrong? If so it cannot be found with those in connection with this office.

### HE TOLD A LIE.

UNDER the head of "They told the Truth," the Alliance Courier admits all the facts that have appeared against him in these columns. Ardmore citizens are aware of what these charges are. The miserable wretch pleads guilty and acknowledges to the truth of every word uttered in this paper, but maliciously lies when he says that two gentlemen in this office are rats and scabs. The young men are well known by some of the best citizens of Ardmore from their childhood, are related to the best families of Texas. This office holds cards and are members of the International Typographical Union of America, something that the rat, scab and miserable, self admitted liar has not and never can show.

We will say to our patrons that this is the last of our controversy

with one who is beneath the notice of a gentleman.

Again Soule tells a palpable lie to every citizen in the city when he says that his eleven year old child, Arthur, well known in Ardmore, prints the Courier.

## THE CITY.

Mrs. Capt. Galt is still quite ill.  
Stets in hats at Russells. tf.  
Col. Tom Grant of Arbuckle is in the city.

See the great "Fire Scene" in the inside Track, Monday night. tf.  
Brick work on the Bivins building is progressing rapidly.

Reserve seats for the "Inside Track" are on sale at the City Drug store. tf.  
Willis Turner, a prominent farmer of Lebanon, is in the city.

See Jennie Holman in the "Inside Track" Monday night. tf.

Judge G. M. Robinson left today for his home at Davis.

Engraving of all kinds done at T. H. Parkers, the jeweler. tf.

James Doolan, a prominent citizen of Paoli, came down last night to see the sights of the metropolis.

You can buy a dollar white shirt for 50 cents at H. H. Russells this week. tf.

Rosa Smith, the little girl injured Tuesday night, was taken home this morning.

Ladies you should visit the Racket Store if you want a fine hat in the latest style. 1wk.

Dr. I. W. Folsom returned from Wynnewood, whither he had been called on professional business.

Have you seen Russell's line of overcoats they are daisies and very cheap. tf.

Geo. E. Langran went up to Pauls Valley today with his friend G. W. Thrasher to attend to some important business.

Harshaw sets the best table for the least money of any man in town. tf.

Consult the city sanitarian, O. S. Baily, at Hall & Ryan's drug store South Main street, in regard to any work in his line you may need. tf.

Joe Looney, the victim of Thursday's church accident, is doing nicely and his physician says he will recover if no further complications set in.

Persons desiring copies of the daily ARDMOREITE can obtain same by calling at London & Moore's book store.

Jennie Holman and her excellent company will appear at the opera house every night next week. Popular prices will prevail. tf.

Speak out, gentlemen of the Board of Trade, on the question of trustees for city government and other municipal regulations.

Secure your seats early for the "Inside Track" Monday night. Crowded houses always greet this company. tf.

The friends of Elmer Stubblefield will be pleased to learn that he is able to be up, although he has not sufficiently recovered to get out.

Trimnings worth from 25 cents to \$1 will be given with every dress from 25 cents per yard upward. Munzeshimer & Daube. 1wk.

Mr. J. F. Pierce has been duly installed as deputy U. S. Clerk. His acquisition adds largely to the already efficient corps which grace this office.

O. S. Baily can be found at Hall & Ryan's drug store. South Main street. Mr. Baily is city sanitarian. It may prove cheaper to employ Mr. Baily than a doctor. n3-t

Capt. Whittington is detained at home on account of the illness of his wife and other members of the family. They were reported better this morning, we are glad to state.

The Racket Store duplicates all the cut throat prices on staple goods and sells you the balance of your bill for less money than the dodger men. tf.

Advertise in the Ardmoreite.

J. R. Young went to Lone Grove yesterday and while there virtually sold his property. He says the Ardmoreite is a bringer, his sale notice having given him a number of buyers.

### WANTED.

Some apprentice girls by Mrs. Mosher the dress maker on Court Street opposite the court house. tf.

### HOTEL FOR RENT.

The Cottage Home Hotel, opposite court house, 15 rooms well furnished with beds, etc. Call on or address R. H. Glenn, Ardmore, I. T.

John Watson charged with complicity in the murder of Adler has been granted bail in the sum of \$500. This is equivalent to his release and acquittal.

One of the most popular eating houses in the city is that of Mr. Harshaw. When you eat there once you will go again. See this popular young man's "ad" elsewhere. tf.

Miss Rosa Smith, the unfortunate little girl who was so seriously injured Tuesday night by jumping from the train, was not taken home yesterday. It was not thought safe to move her. She is resting easy and it is thought she will be all right in a few days.

### FOR RENT.

I have two furnished rooms which I desire to rent to man and wife at reasonable figures. Call on the undersigned. Lum Johnson.

### FOR SALE.

A good dwelling and business house situated at Lone Grove, ten miles west of Ardmore, which I will sell cheap for cash or trade for stock. Apply to J. R. Young, Lone Grove. 1wk.

Mrs. Morse, of the Raleigh Inn, by mistake took an overdose of bromidia and which, but for the timely arrival of Dr. McCoy would in all probability resulted fatally. By the aid of emetics and other stringent remedies she was brought about all right.

J. B. Ingram at the corner of Main and Caddo streets is the place to go for lunch, fish, oysters and territorial drinks. Meals served hot at all hours of the day and at reasonable prices. Give him a call. 1wk.

A drunken man was arrested late yesterday afternoon by Constable A. M. Burch. He was a bad man from Bitter creek and he fought like a tiger; but it is needless to say he was safely landed in the lock up. He claimed to be a Chickasaw but he had the appearance of a pure drunken noncitizen.

### GIVEN AWAY.

With every dress from 25cts per yard upward, the latest styles of dress trimming. This opportunity will only last as a special inducement for the next thirty days, at The Big Iron Store. 1wk.

M. E. Church South cor. Broadway and Church Sts.—Preaching every Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday night choir meeting Friday night. Rev. Frank Naylor, Pastor. Sunday school at 10 A. M. Joe M. London, Supt.

Ernest Prothro, a practical printer, is in the city. He has traveled all over the United States. His parents reside in Atlanta, Ga. He has been in every state capital in the union and has invariably sent home to his mother a cigar box full of dirt from each one. No doubt his mother and sisters will show him a rare little flower spot when he returns home, upon which will be growing on the soil of all the states of the union combined beautiful flowers.

C. B. Ladd's new cook has returned and the rush to the Central hotel is something wonderful to behold. 2t

The Ardmoreite is here to stay. Subscribe for it.

We call the special attention of the public to our job office. We are prepared to do job work at low figures, and as nicely as any office in town.

Windy and dusty.

The Cross show did not materialize today.

The Kit Carson show billed for today did not come to a focus. Why? The people were not advised of their coming.

The dust today is very disagreeable, but as compared to the way people in Guthrie and Perry suffer from the same cause we are fortunate.

J. O. Watson returned from Paris, Texas, today after having been released by Judge Bryant on \$500 bond. He is his same jolly self, confident of his innocence and relying on a full acquittal when final trial is reached.

Mr. J. B. Spraggins is on crutches from the effects of a serious accident a few days since in which he received a dislocation of the left leg.

Now that the work is over, Now that the halls are clear, Congress cries out to Grover: "We've answered your daily Prayer."

Judge A. R. Durant, Davis Homer and Ben Watkins are in the city compiling the laws of the Chickasaw nation, preparatory to bringing out an edition giving every statute enacted to this time.

The drunken man who was arrested yesterday and who created a disturbance on his way to jail, caused a stampede from the court room the people believing the house on fire.

W. G. Parish, the man in jail at Dallas accused of complicity in the murder of Y. M. Langdon, is well and favorably known by a number of people in Ardmore who will not believe him capable of such a heinous crime. They say he is a gentleman, a man of honor and sensitive to the highest degree.

The case of W. R. Curb and wife against the Santa Fe for \$20,000 damages was given to the jury this morning. In this suit Mrs. Curb sustained spinal injuries while a passenger on defendant's train. It has been hotly contested on both sides, Johnson Cruce & Cruce representing the plaintiff and Clifford L. Jackson the defendant. Verdict in favor of plaintiff for \$2200.

### HOLIDAY EXCURSIONS.

The G. C. & Santa Fe Railway (Santa Fe route) will sell excursion tickets December 19, 20 and 21 to Kansas City, St. Louis and Hannibal, Mo; also all points in the Southeast, at one fare for the round trip, good for thirty days from date of sale. The undersigned will be pleased to have your business, and will cheerfully answer all questions and give information as to rates and routes. Call upon or address, I. R. MASON, Agent, Ardmore, I. T.

R. S. DENNIE,  
ATTORNEY AT LAW  
Office over First National Bank, Ardmore, I. T.

CAMPBELL, JENKINS & WEST,  
ATTORNEYS AT LAW.  
ARDMORE, I. T.  
Office up stairs near the court house.

JACKSON & KENDRICK,  
ATTORNEYS AT LAW,  
Office up stairs just across the street in front of court house Ardmore, I. T.

CLARENCE B. DOUGLAS,  
ARCHITECT.  
Office over First National Bank Ardmore I. T.

DR. I. W. FOLSOM,  
RESIDENT PHYSICIAN.

With Dr. McCoy, opposite Iron Store, Ardmore, I. T.  
Specialties—Operative Surgery, Diseases of women and children, nervous diseases, rheumatism and diseases of the skin. Has had over twenty years practical experience in diseases incident to the southern climate. Does a general practice—Frequently located.

Geo. W. Thrasher for sometime with Chas. Durie and a most popular society young gentleman has accepted a position with S. J. Garvin of White Bear Hill. He left for his new home today. The Ardmoreite wishes him unbounded success.

DIED.—Yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock Mrs. Sallie Hopkins, wife of David L. Hopkins, at the family residence. The deceased had been hovering between life and death for the past week. All that loving hands and medical skill could effect was done to stay the ravages of her fatal malady, without avail. Deceased was a lady of many estimable qualities and was highly respected and admired by all who knew her. She leaves bleeding hearts behind to mourn her loss. The funeral took place this afternoon and was attended by a large concourse of sorrowing friends. We tender condolence to the bereaved in this their sore hour of grief. May she rest in peace.

### ABOUT ARDMORE WHISKEY.

Editor Ardmoreite.  
I desire, through the columns of your popular daily, to reply to Dr. C. L. Jackson's strictures on the drug men of the Indian Territory. He accuses the drug men of producing all the drunkenness in this country by selling so-called medicines, simply introduced and sold as beverages, and for the purpose of intoxication. I, as a drug dealer, propose to explain to the good people of Ardmore, especially the ladies, who have made, and are making, an effort to annihilate that damnable stuff that destroys their happiness and the happiness of their children.

I will here ask a few questions, and would be pleased to have your answers through the columns of the Ardmoreite. Does your husband or son introduce liquor into Ardmore? Don't your husband introduce liquor through your consent under the disguise of wanting it for sickness? How long does a shoe box full of whiskey last the old toper for sickness? Ladies, do you believe that nearly every back room and private office in this town is a resort for these toppers and their shoe boxes? Do you believe that whiskey is beneficial in sickness? Under the law no one has a right to introduce a quart of whiskey into this country, Judge Stewart to the contrary. It is estimated that from \$100 to \$200 worth of whiskey is brought into this town every twenty-four hours, mostly by express. Yes, and nearly every man in this town is guilty of violating the law. Yet every drunk is laid on his back, and this is done to cover up their whiskey tracks. From one to six saloon men are in this town every day. Do you know why they come here? Mr. Jackson seems to be very ignorant of this, but accuses the druggists for it all.

Now, in conclusion, if you doubt the assertions I have made, you can visit the depot when the train arrives, either night or day, and they will be verified.

Now a word to Mr. Jackson, in whom I have confidence and respect. Why don't you enforce the law against the whiskey man? Are you afraid it would hurt some of the officers of the court?

Now Mr. Jackson, and also to the good women of Ardmore, I am writing under a nom de plume, but if you wish to know who I am, call on the editor and you will get my proper name. JUSTICE.

## BY TELEGRAPH.

### FROM OVER THE WORLD

A General Summary of News Condensed and Clipped From Our Daily Exchanges.

After attending the theater this evening President Cleveland and Secretary Lamont boarded the 12:30 express for Washington. His visit here is only explained in the words of Secretary Lamont: "Strictly private business." All this occurred in New York yesterday.

No new developments in the Parish and Paris murder case at Dallas, except that Parish is recovering from his attempted suicide. Telegrams of sympathy and offers of assistance are pouring in upon him. His old time friends and lifelong associates will not believe him guilty and are offering all kinds of assistance financial or otherwise.

A 6 year old girl, the daughter of Mr. Dickson, who lives near Sherman, is outraged by a youth 17 years old. The child is suffering. The feeling is said to be very high. Parties are in pursuit.

Two thieves quietly entered the office of Treasurer John Drake of the Indiana, Illinois and Iowa railway company, in the sixth story of the bookery building. Almost before their presence was noticed they snatched a bag of money, amounting to \$20,000, hastily withdrew and escaped. There is scarcely a clue to their identity. It is not thought Drake is seriously injured.